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SUBJECT: TURKISH BASE NEGOTIATIONS: LAND AREAS

REF: A) ANKARA 0712, B) STATE 21510, C) ANKARA 0711,

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1. TURKISH TEXT ON LAND AREAS TRANSMITTED REF A WAS
ATTEMPT TO MEET OUR NEED FOR PROTECTION FROM CLAIMS FOR
FUTURE AS WELL AS CURRENT LAND ACQUISITIONS. WE HAVE
EXAMINED THE POSSIBILITY OF ADAPTING IT TO OUR NEEDS
BUT HAVE FOUND NO ACCEPTABLE WAY OF ASSURING PROTEC-

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TION FOR PROPERTY NOT CLASSIFIED AS INSTALLATIONS AND FOR

COVERING POSSIBLE PRIVATE AS WELL AS PUBLIC CLAIMS.
FOR THIS REASON, WE AGREE WITH ONE F B THAT WE MUST RETURN TO OUR FORMULATION.

2. AS REPORTED REF C, ELEKDAG STATED THAT HE MIGHT REPEAT MIGHT ACCEPT OUR FIRST SENTENCE ON LAND USE IF SECOND SENTENCE DELETED. WE SHOULD NOT RPT NOT THEREFORE AUTOMATICALLY ASSUME THAT WE CAN EXTRACT SIGNIFICANT QUID FOR DROPPING OUR SECOND SENTENCE. I HAVE HAD IN MIND, HOWEVER, TURKISH CONCESSIONS ON CONSULTATIONS (ARTICLE XXI) AS I OUTLINED TO ELEKDAG ON JANUARY 28 (PARA 3, REF D). SIMPLE COMPARISON OF ARTICLES WOULD LEAD TURKS TO CONSIDER THIS AN UNF94-ABLE TRADEOFF. I AM HOPING, HOWEVER, THAT ARGUMENTS I PRESENTED YESTERDAY COMBINED WITH TIME PRESSURES MAY BRING ELEKDAG TO POINT IN TOMORROW'S SESSION (JANUARY 30) THAT I CAN PROPOSE DEAL FOR SIMULTANEOUS AGREEMENT ON BOTH ARTICLES XIII AND XXI. IF THIS DOES NOT EVENTUATE, I WILL, OF COURSE, SEEK TO ARRANGE OTHER TRADE-OFFS.
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